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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Kwech *et al.*
Serial No. 10/805,879
Filed: March 22, 2004

Group Art Unit: 3722
Examiner: Sara Addisu

For: *Automated Boring Bar*

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 17, 2005

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This responds to the Office Action mailed December 19, 2006, in which the Examiner rejects pending Claims 1-25.

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